

US FIRMS IN LONDON

FIRM BY FIRM — SURVEY RESULTS

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Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld	Fred Heller	9	3	24	1 (1)	0	Undisclosed	—	No	No (international corporate transactions, emerging markets, formation of private equity and investment funds)	Undisclosed	Da Vinci CIS Private Sector Growth Fund, VimpelCom/acquisition of Global Telecom	Undisclosed
Arnold & Porter	Tim Frazer	12	11	21	1	3	10%-25%	No	Two a year, for five years	No (antitrust, corporate/securities, employment, IP/tech litigation, litigation, product liability, pharma, food and medical technology, IT, telecoms)	No	Infocomm Development Authority of Singapore, Sanofi Pasteur	Yes
Baker Botts	Tony Higginson	6	4	15	1	0	10%-25%	No	No	No (global energy project, litigation, arbitration, corporate, European patents)	No	Gazprombank, Polish Oil & Gas, SportsXchange	Undisclosed
Bingham McCutchen	James Roome	11	10	20	1	1	10%-25%	Financial restructuring, corporate, funds, financial regulation	Two a year, for seven years	No (financial restructuring, finance, corporate and funds, litigation, financial regulation)	Yes (unspecified)	Bondholders of Northern Rock, official committee of unsecured creditors of Sea Containers	No
Bracewell & Giuliani	Adam Mozel	2	2	2	0	1	25%-50%	International capital markets, finance, M&A	No, but planning to	No (international capital markets, finance, M&A including private equity)	No	KazMunaiGas	No
Brown Rudnick	J Scott Burns	12	10	7	2	2	25%-50%	Corporate, insolvency, finance, international arbitration/litigation, clean technology	No, but planning to	No (corporate, corporate finance, insolvency and corporate restructuring, international arbitration/litigation)	No	Undisclosed	Undisclosed
Bryan Cave	Anthony Fiducia	10	10	25	1 (0)	3	25%-50%	Corporate finance, M&A, restructuring, arbitration, IP, banking and finance	Three a year, for seven years	Yes	Yes, restructuring/insolvency	AEG Live (UK), ArcelorMittal, Eurasian Natural Resources Corporation	Yes
Chadbourne & Parke	Claude S Serfilippi	22	17	31	1 (2)	3	Undisclosed	—	Two (the programme starts in September)	No (project finance, insurance/reinsurance, product liability, restructuring, corporate)	Undisclosed	Gaz de France and Electrabel, PepsiCo, Suez Energy	Undisclosed
Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton	n/a	17	9	55	0 (2)	0	10%-25%	All areas	10-12 a year, for 11 years	No (corporate, finance, cap mkts, competition, tax)	No	Bahrain Mumtalakat Holding Company, First Reserve, JC Flowers	No
Cohen Milstein Hausfeld & Toll	Rob Murray	3	2	1	0	3	25%-50%	Competition law litigation (claimants only)	No	No (competition law litigation, dispute resolution, international human rights (claimant only))	Int'l and nat'l banking, securities litigation/disp res (claimant only)	Undisclosed	Yes
Covington & Burling	Roger Enock	14	9	27	3 (3)	2	10%-25%	All areas	Six a year, for four years	Yes (apart from pensions)	No	Chiquita, Merial	No
Cravath Swaine & Moore	Philip J Boeckman	4	0	20	0	0	Undisclosed	—	No	Full service, exclusively US law	Undisclosed	Banco Santander, Saint-Gobain, Schneider Electric	Undisclosed
Crowell & Moring	Paul Finlan	6	4	12	0	2	Yes (amount undisclosed)	Undisclosed	No, but under consideration	Yes	Undisclosed	Undisclosed	Possibly
Debevoise & Plimpton	James C Scoville	18	10	69	1	3	10%-25%	All areas	Approximately eight a year, for three years	No (cross-border M&A, private equity fund formation, insurance, cap mkts, finance/restructurings, tax planning, disp res)	No	Undisclosed	No
Dechert	Steven Fogel	38	33	112	1 (0)	3	Undisclosed	—	12	Yes	Undisclosed	Undisclosed	Undisclosed
Dewey & LeBoeuf	Steven H Davis	50	37	128	4 (3)	2	10%-25%	Private equity, M&A, acquisition finance	15 a year, for 12 years	Yes	No	Undisclosed	Possibly
Dorsey & Whitney	Paul B Klaas	10	7	25	1 (3)	1	10%-25%	Corporate, litigation	Four a year, for many years	No (corporate, litigation, property)	No	Undisclosed	Yes
Duane Morris	Alexander Geisler, Susan Laws	11	14	11	0	0				Yes			
Edwards Angell Palmer & Dodge	Laurence Harris	21	20	20	0	2	10%-25%	IP, life sciences, private equity, commercial litigation, insurance	Eight a year, for 40 years	No (insurance, reinsurance, corporate, regulatory, commercial, commercial litigation, employment, insolvency, IP)	Private equity	Hertfordshire Oil Storage	Yes
Faegre & Benson	Gerald Hobson	7	7	14	0 (1)	0	25%-50%	Corporate, commercial, real estate	Two a year, for 19 years	Yes	No	BSkyB, Dragon Capital, Geo Genesis Group	Yes
Fried Frank Harris Shriver & Jacobson	Justin Spendlove	15	10	31	0 (2)	1	10%-25%	No	Two a year, for one year	Yes	Possibly	Deutsche Bahn, Dow Jones & Co, Virgin Media	No
Fulbright & Jaworski	Lista Cannon	13	12	12	2 (1)	6	10%-25%	Disputes, energy	Four a year, for two years	No (disp res, corporate investigations, energy, project finance, energy and infrastructure, IP, insurance, commercial acquisitions and agreements)	No	Undisclosed	No
Gibson Dunn & Crutcher	Tom Budd, James Cox	19	15	39	1	6	Yes (amount undisclosed)	Corporate, finance, real estate, private equity, disp res	No	Yes	No	Wyeth Consumer Health, Colony Capital, London & Stamford Property	Undisclosed
Heller Ehrman	Brian Smith	9	9	22	0	1	10%-25%	All core practices	No	No (corporate, real estate, competition)	No	Hilton Hotels, Hyatt Hotels, Marriott International	Yes
Hogan & Hartson	Garry Pegg	19	14	36	1	1	25%-50%	Corp, IP, tax, financial services, employment, real estate	Three to four a year	Yes	Undisclosed	Air Canada, Ford Motor Company, Nintendo	Yes
Howrey	Trevor Soames	11	11	12	0	4	10%-25%	All areas	No	No (competition, IP, dispute resolution)	No	EDS, Eli Lilly, IATA	No

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Hunton & Williams	Martin Thomas	11	9	15	1	2	25%-50%	All areas	Three a year, for three years	Yes	Real estate, banking	Central Rand Gold, Tata Consultancy Services, The Crown Estate	Unlikely
Katten Muchin Rosenman Cornish	Martin Cornish	5	5	7	0	1	Undisclosed	Undisclosed	No	No	Undisclosed	Undisclosed	Undisclosed
King & Spalding	John Keffer	7	4	20	1	1	10%-25%	International arbitration, employment	No	No (commercial and financial transactions, international trade, litigation, arbitration)	Real estate, IP	Nomura International, United International Bank, West Paces Hotels	No
Kirkland & Ellis	No London managing partner	24	19	55	4 (3)	0	10%-25%	All areas	First trainees start 2009	No (corporate, banking and finance, tax, IP, restructuring, international arbitration)	No	Advantage Partners, Candover Investments, Terra Firma	No
K&L Gates	Tony Griffiths	57	57	67	3 (2)	6	10%-25%	No	10 a year, for 30 years	Yes	Undisclosed	Man Group, RREEF UK Retail Property Fund, Universal Salvage	Yes
Latham & Watkins	Andrew Moyle	41	29	127	2 (1)	2	10%-25%	Undisclosed	10 a year, for two years	Yes	Undisclosed	Balmoral Advisors, Blackstone, Nike	Undisclosed
Mayer Brown	Sean Connolly	119	111	187	10 (9)	15	Less than 10%	Cap markets, M&A, commercial litigation	35-40 a year, for 40 years	Yes	No	Fortis, Moody's, Walton Street Capital	Undisclosed
McDermott Will & Emery	Doron Ezickson	36	33	39	4 (2)	8	10%-25%	All areas	Four a year, for nine years	Full corporate service	No	Undisclosed	Unlikely
Milbank Tweed Hadley & McCloy	Philip Fletcher	13	10	48	0 (2)	0	10%-25%	All areas	No	No (finance, corporate, tax, litigation, outsourcing, tech)	No	Undisclosed	Undisclosed
Morgan Lewis & Bockius	Robert Goldspink	11	10	22	0	3	10%-25%	Finance	No, but under consideration	No (litigation, corporate, employment)	No	Undisclosed	Undisclosed
Morrison & Foerster	Julian Thurston	19	17	33	0 (2)	6	10%-25%	Litigation, transactional teams, bankruptcy	Three a year, for three years	No (corporate, capital markets, finance, tax, technology transactions, data protection, employment, litigation)	Bankruptcy	COLT Telecom, DFJ Esprit, Island Gas Resources	Yes
Nixon Peabody	Stavros D Adamidis	4	3	3	0	0	75%-100%	Undisclosed	One a year (first year this year)	No (leveraged and project finance, corporate trust)	No	Undisclosed	Yes
Orrick Herrington & Sutcliffe	Martin Bartlam	20	15	37	0	3	Yes (amount undisclosed)	Finance, corporate, real estate	Eight a year	Yes (apart from pensions)	Undisclosed	Nomura Code, Titanium Asset Management, Venture Production	Possibly
Paul Hastings Janofsky & Walker	Mark Eagan	14	11	18	2 (1)	4	25%-50%	Corporate, finance	Four a year, for two years	Yes	No	Addax Petroleum, Citi Property Investors, Tishman Speyer	Undisclosed
Paul Weiss Rifkind Wharton & Garrison	Mark S Bergman	2	1	14	0	0	10%-25%	Capital markets, M&A	No	No (capital markets, listed company M&A, private equity, litigation)	No	Citi, Doosan Infracore, Swiss Re	Unlikely
Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman	Tim Wright	5	3	8	0	2	25%-50%	Finance/energy, corporate/M&A, sourcing/IT	One to two a year, for five years	No (sourcing, IT/IP, finance, energy, corporate, employment)	No	Co-operative Financial Services, Qatar Petroleum, Resolution	Undisclosed
Reed Smith	Richard Swinburn	103	103	238	9	10	Less than 10%	Transactional practices	30	Yes	Funds formation	Undisclosed	Unlikely
Shearman & Sterling	Anthony Ward	26	22	102	2 (1)	1	Undisclosed	—	15 a year, for six years	Yes	No	IntercontinentalExchange, RBS, Suez-Tractebel	No
Sidley Austin	Drew Scott	41	33	99	1 (3)	3	Yes (amount undisclosed)	—	10-12 a year, for 14 years	No (cap mkts, corporate, tax, bankruptcy, funds, insurance, financial services, int'l finance)	Under consideration	Undisclosed	Possibly
Simpson Thacher & Bartlett	Gregory Conway	11	3	37	1 (2)	0	Less than 10%	Undisclosed	No	No (US securities, M&A, competition, litigation, private equity, real estate, tax, UK acquisition finance)	No	Alliance Boots, Emap, Hilton Hotels	No
Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom	Bruce Buck	27	14	95	3 (2)	1	Undisclosed	Undisclosed	Approximately 10 a year, for three years	No (M&A, private equity, banking, leveraged finance, international arbitration, litigation, energy/project finance, tax, corporate restructuring, capital markets)	Undisclosed	Undisclosed	Undisclosed
Squire Sanders & Dempsey	Andrew O. Visintin	17	10	18	1	4	25%-50%	Banking, tax finance, corporate, capital markets, dispute resolution, real estate	Approximately three a year, for five years	Yes	No	Landsbanki Commercial Finance, Hits Africa	Yes
Weil Gotshal & Manges	Mike Francies	23	20	95	3	2	Less than 10%	Private equity, corporate, restructuring, finance, litigation	12 a year, for eight years	Yes	No	CCMP Capital Partners, HBOS, Pension Corporation	No
White & Case	Peter Finlay (senior partner)	74	69	288	10 (8)	4	10%-25%	Insolvency, dispute resolution, financial restructuring	35 a year, for 12 years	Yes	No	Nord Stream, Shell, SRM	Yes
Willkie Farr & Gallagher	Jon Lyman	2	0	6	1	0	Yes (amount undisclosed)	—	No	No (US corporate and financial services, US litigation)	No	Converium, Fortis, Thales	Possibly
Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr	Joe Pillman	12	7	36	1 (1)	1	10%-25%	International arbitration	No	No (dispute resolution, corporate, competition, aviation, employment, IP, exec compensation, employee benefits, technology and licensing)	No	Undisclosed	Undisclosed
Winston & Strawn	Thomas J Benz	5	4	7	1 (0)	0	50%-75%	Finance, litigation/arbitration	No	No (cross-border M&A, capital markets, finance/lending, int'l litigation/arbitration)	No	Discover Financial Services, George Gillett, Morningstar	Yes